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AMONG THE GOLD MINES

Manitou Continues to Make Great Progress, Paul Paulson Visits Rat Portage.

Mr. A. McLaren, of McLaren cheese fame, and Mr. J. M. Sweeny, a United States mining capitalist who is largely interested in South Dakota, and is a stockholder of the famous Homestake, have lately been paying a visit to this district, and saw among other properties the Big Master mine in the Manitou, near which Mr. Sweeny has some claims of his own. The manager of the mine was very busy when these gentlemen arrived, but with his usual courtesy, Mr. Pickering conducted them all through the workings, both surface and underground. Although want of time somewhat limited his observations Mr. Sweeny quite appreciated the work already accomplished. The advanced state of development underground was a revelation to him, and he thought there was then in sight sufficient ore to engage the attention of the 10 stamp mill for a period of ten years. Mr. Sweeny was very decided in his praise of the caution and careful business management which had actuated the directors and superintendent, and predicted that the stockholders would be the first to appreciate the benefits of this important feature in all mining undertakings.

Regarding his own investment Mr. Sweeny is well satisfied with the indications, which, so far as he was able to determine, greatly surpass his expectations, and he will be able to render such a favorable report to his associates as will warrant them turning their attention to this promising district.

It is a significant sign of the times when, to gentlemen like Mr. Sweeny, whose mining experience is of a purely business character, and whose connections include such vast undertakings as the renowned Homestake mine of South Dakota, the Manitou district should present such attractive possibilities for another extensive sphere of operation.

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well as the work in the tunnel, where the vein is not yet cut through, although there is exposed 18 feet of solid quartz. Mr. Paulson is not alone in appreciation of his company's property, for Mr. Sweeny, of Detroit, in his brief tour of inspection, visited the locations and expressed himself in no unmeasured terms, not only of the high quality of the ore, but of the prospects of an unlimited quantity.

A NEW FIND.

Mr. A. Frank Deachman has discovered a big lode two miles north-east of the city boundary. Assays of the ore (qualitative only) made at the government laboratory describe the deposit as diorite rock matter—pyrrhotite in considerable quantity, containing iron pyrites, copper pyrites, gold, silver and nickel. A big specimen of the ore, at present in the Miner office, bears out this description and suggests strong a smelting proposition.

ADMIRE OUR SCENERY.

Winnipeg Journalist paints vivid word picture of life on the Lake.

"Tatler," in the Winnipeg Tribune indulges in a pretty piece of word painting in describing Lake of the Woods scenery. His copy must have been written with a chromatic pencil, so vivid is the coloring. He says:

The above property is mining upon us with its warm breezes and sunny days, many have deserted their city homes for the fairer regions of Rat Portage. Fair, indeed, it is, with the broad clear arms of the lake stretching far in between the picturesquely situated islands that stud the waters here and there. It would require the brush of some world-famed artist, or the pen of a poet laureate to rightly present the beauties of this summer resort as ideal in turn is brought to view. An ideal picture may be viewed in the balmy evenings when, from out a silvery cloud, the moon rises in her queenly state and sheds her beams upon the still waters, so still and peaceful as though a spirit breathed upon them. The effect is awe-inspiring, and one heaves a sigh of contentment at being so far permitted to enjoy this scenery, where nature reigns supreme.

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heal. And so she wrote a book called "Science and Health," and made the tremendous revenues she received support a slander and a lie and build edifices which insult God Almighty."

Dr. Morse attacked the character of Mrs. Eddy bitterly and wound up by saying:

"Let me tell you it is not the book, with its twaddle and senseless terminology, that no reader in creation can understand; it is not the book, but the personality of the leader in Concord."

In closing his sermon Dr. Morse read what he said was a Christian Science prescription and prayer for the cure of dyspepsia.

A CANADIAN'S RESEARCHES.

A Deep-Sea Discovery Which Was Made by Sir John Murray.

When Sir John Murray, the Canadian scientist, began his work in oceanography some thirty-eight years ago, scientific knowledge of the sea was meagre and unsatisfactory. Something over three-fourths of the globe is covered with water, and there is a greater amount of life—far greater—both vegetable and animal in the water than on the land, and yet this storehouse of wonder—the great swarming seas of the world—had been almost unexplored. Huxley had awakened interest in the deep sea by the enthusiastic announcement of his famous Bathysphere. In the course of examining a number of deep-water dredgings he had discovered traces of a gray gelatinous mass, somewhat resembling protoplasm. This he designated the primeval living slime, the unorganized beginning of life. It was a suggestion that caught the imagination, here deep in the sea bottom, in darkness and cold, floated, or floated, detached from the beginning, the essence of life from which the whole world had been clothed with the green of plants and populated with thousands of varying forms of animal life. And if all life on land were to be laid low in a night, how would the slow, dull life-stock upon which could be built upon the fabric of creation?

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THE FLINT LAKE MINE.

Manager Briedenbach, M.E., says he can begin producing gold bricks shortly.

The question is being asked: "Are not the Flint Lake people in too big a hurry installing their milling plant?" Mr. Briedenbach answers the question by stating that there is sufficient ore obtainable by quarrying to keep the mill running for fourteen months. The Krupp mill which is being installed will have the same capacity as a 30 stamp mill, 1,000 lbs. each, and will treat on tons a day. Average assays of the big Flint Lake lode run a ton over \$10 so that in fourteen months counting the output of gold at \$10 instead of \$12, the mill should produce \$218,000 worth of gold bullion—nearly a quarter of a million dollars.

Mr. Westerfield, in conversation with a Miner reporter said the contractors would begin work on the mill sometime in August, so that gold shipments ought to be arriving by Christmas.

Capt. Jones, one of the best mining foremen in this country has been engaged to take charge of the mining crew. He speaks very enthusiastically about "Flint Lake," which he declares is the biggest mining proposition on Lake of the Woods. When questioned about the Krupp mill, the captain replied that he knew nothing about it, as his experience has been entirely gained among American machinery.

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The power at the stamp mill of the Big Master was turned on Sunday for the purpose of testing the machinery, and commenced operations on the ore on Tuesday last.

THE GIANT MINE.
Mr. Paul Paulson, at one time connected with the Big Master mine, but now resident manager of the Giant, visited Rat Portage this week. He gave excellent reports regarding his Giant property, which is steadily maintaining its reputation as development progresses! Cross-cutting on 185 is still continuing, as

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Wind and weather have so far proved all that could be wished for, and lovers of the sailboat take advantage of the present every day to launch their bark and travel wherever fancy leads! Many little gasoline yachts and more majestic steamboats ply up and down the course of the lake, all giving an appearance of life and pleasure. Sports and amusements of every description are the order of the day, from the refreshing morning dip to the exciting game of baseball indulged in by those not at home in the water.

Few, indeed, of the summer residents are unoccupied, and those vacant will no doubt soon be filled by the incoming of the last summer month. Saturday's train is usually more heavily laden than any other during the week, and the trip into town from the more remote camps to welcome the pleasure seekers, is always noted in the chronicles of the day's amusement.

Should the elements prove as propitious during the remaining summer weeks as they have in the past, the anticipations of all fortunate in sharing the pleasures of Rat Portage life will indeed be fully realized.

PIRACY ON CHRISTIANITY.

The Rev. Dr. Frank Rogers Morse, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, in West Fifty-seventh street, delivered a sermon on "Christ the Healer, Not Christian Science" last evening. Of Christian Science he said:

"Christian Science is a piracy, or an attempted piracy, on Christianity. It is a caricature of ethics." It claims to inculcate the principles of God through a woman. It denies God everywhere. Inflated with scorn it attempts to heal man of that which she put in his life.

"Here is a science floating around in the air in New York and other parts of the country befolding people by saying there is no such thing as sin. Here is a woman living like a princess who claims that at the end of 1900 years she has been chosen to reveal to the world how to

varying forms of animal life. 'Add it all life on land were to be laid low in a night, here waited the slow, dull life-stock upon which could be built the future civilization.' But when Sir John Murray and the other scientists on the Challenger began to study the problem, they found that Huxley had been misled by the fact that strong alcohol, such as had been used for preserving the specimens collected, will throw down a chemical gelatinous precipitate from sea water, this flocculent mass having been erroneously called the bathysphaera. A beautiful theory was thus demolished, but the structure of facts reared in its place was quite as wonderful.

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The long flight of birds. A well known photographer, in speaking of the migration of birds, says that the long flight made, perhaps, is by some of the shore and water birds, 'seen' in the Islands of the Bahamas, and spend the winter at the Hawaiian Islands. As some of these birds fly altogether on shore, and are probably unable to rest on the surface of water, they must accomplish this on the distance in a zig-zag flight, a distance of about 2,200 miles. In spite of the absence of landmarks, they go straight to their destination.

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CHRISTIAN BARBARIANS.

The man who "loops the loop" at the Winnipeg Fair, shipped the winning down to terra firma on Wednesday and fell in a ditch. The spectators thought he killed but he was only knocked into a ditch. The managers of the fair, who announced that the winner would do the same thing tomorrow, "People who loop the loop" and of a show would cost a dollar a seat to see Christians loop the loop.

DON'T WANT OPINIONS

Edward Kipling, Premier Seddon, and Sam Hughes were overlooked when coronation honors were being handed out. And yet all three have been hot imperialists, one a speaker, and the other a writer. Perhaps, however, the emperor for deeds, not opinions, best confer honors.

POSTAGE STAMPS

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them, but gourmands, will no doubt feel anxious to know whether Switzerland will supply the buds, herbs and things required in the concoction so dear to the palates of diners out. It was said they first contemplated emigrating to the United States, but that they changed their minds because the soil was not suitable for the manufacture of their great source of revenue.

WHAT IS LUCK?

There are wise and solemn men who disbelieve in what is called luck, swear that there isn't any such thing and teach their young that success is due to virtue and industry alone. Now, last week a gas and oil company was putting down a test well in Ohio. What was struck? O. nothing, but gold and coal. We do not say there was any luck about the matter, but it is curious how some folks find things and how the treasures in the bowels of the earth rush out at them. For example, Col. Jim Guffey, of Pennsylvania and various other states. He was prospecting for zinc in Arkansas last winter. One very cold day what was his surprise and pleasure to find coal, wood and hot soapstone on the same spot. If this is not luck, it is genius. —New York Sun

THE SLAVE MARKET

Natives of the Solomon Islands have killed the captain of what is politely called a "labor-recruiting vessel." These vessels are vulgarly termed "slavers," but they are bound by statutory enactments to return the blacks they "hire" at the end of a few years, provided the blacks want to be returned. The facilities for recording the wants of the blacks are not very perfect.

Recently there have been several cases of prominent men suddenly falling in collapse just after eating a hearty meal. These men have been under treatment for gastric "trouble," and yet the result shows that the treatment they had received had smothered the symptoms but had not retarded the progress of the disease.

There is a real danger in the use of palliatives when there is disease of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. The disease in such cases goes on, while the distressing symptoms alone are stopped. Presently, like a smothered fire, the disease breaks out in new places, involving heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, or some other organ.

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Morals of the Child.

The moral development of the child begins almost as soon as its mental and the two march hand in hand. The home is the place where correct moral principles should be first instilled in the mind of the child, and neglect of this may mean endless suffering for parents and child. Too often this is left to the servants, relatives or the teacher later. The parent who can neglect this side of the child's development and trust it to somebody else is not worthy of the responsibility that has been conferred upon her. The neglect is not altogether intentional, but more often due to lack of energy and forethought. The work does not begin early enough, and the little mind gets warped before the lessons are taught. —Woman's Home Companion.

The Blush.

From the purely artistic point of view the power to blush is one of the most requisite and commendable of physical endowments. Old men are past blushing; very young children, idiots and the lower animals cannot blush; but it appears that some tribes still on the outskirts of barbarism preserve the faculty to an astonishing degree.

The blush is a grace of life, a mark of vitality and of youthfulness. It betokens a great cerebral sensibility seconded by a perfectly sensitive skin. By a sort of instinct for personal defense at the slightest attack—a word or a mere glance—there is a gush of energy. I say energy, and not emotion. The heart beats no faster, but a signal from the brain sends a rush of all the spare blood to the skin, and, owing to the congestion of the small blood vessels, an extraordinary glow spreads over the face to the tips of the ear, to the roots of the hair, to the throat, sometimes even to the top of the head.

Darwin saw the back of a young girl blush and declares that in certain circumstances blushing may suffuse the whole body. It is as though the mind were hanging a curtain before the body to assert its right of precedence. —Levi Sturges, "The Art of Life"

Killing a Baby.

When Frank H. Stoughton had played out his book of Stoughton's travels and was about ready to write it, he resided in Philadelphia. He had a business appointment with his dentist, an old friend, one day, when the following incident, told by himself, occurred:

"While in the chair I got to talking with the friend about my new book. I told him I had serious thoughts of killing that baby. He was much interested and we talked over the advisability of having it done. At the time we were not

LORD KITCHENER.

How the South African Commander-in-Chief Appeared in the Seventies.

M. Clermont Ganneau, the well-known archaeologist and writer on the antiquities of Palestine and Syria, has given a representative of The Times a very interesting account of his personal relations with Lord Kitchener in the early seventies, when the present Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in South Africa was engaged in Palestine upon a topographical mission for the Palestine exploration fund. When M. Ganneau met Lord Kitchener, towards the end of 1874, in Palestine, he was a Lieutenant in the Royal Engineers. With a few of his comrades he had been entrusted with the mission of preparing a map of that country for the Palestine exploration fund. M. Ganneau had been "lent" by the French Ministry for Foreign Affairs to this fund to make a special study of archaeological questions. It was then that he met Lord Kitchener, and he says that they often had occasion to see and consult one another. The French savant retains a pleasant recollection of this period. Lord Kitchener, he says, was a good fellow in the best sense of the word. He was original, and very frank and open in his character. His high spirits and gaiety, indeed, formed a pleasant contrast with the grave and serious character of some of his officers. He was an excellent nightman, but gradually came to interest himself in archaeological discoveries, and acquired an appreciable competence on the subject. His most important researches related to the synagogues of Galilee.

M. Ganneau says he kept up his relations with Lord Kitchener for several years, and The Times publishes a facsimile of one of the letters written by the present Commander-in-Chief. It is dated from

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A NATION'S STEPS.

A Political Three or Two That Need
Broader Views for the Majority of
the Canadian People.

In the first session of the Parlia-
 ment of Canada, after Lord Dufferin's
 appointment His Excellency was con-
 fronted with a question which tested
 him as a constitutional ruler, and
 subjected him to a good deal of ad-
 versive criticism from the Liberal side.
 The Government of Sir John Mac-
 donald had just returned from the
 polls with a majority. When Parlia-
 ment met, the Opposition preferred,
 through Hon. L. S. Huntington, a
 charge of corruption in connection
 with the Pacific Railway charter
 against the Government. Sir John
 Macdonald referred the charge to a
 special committee. It was found that
 the committee could not take evi-
 dence on oath, and an Oaths Bill was
 introduced and passed. There were
 doubts as to the validity of the act,
 and Lord Dufferin, after assenting to
 it, forwarded it at once to England
 for consideration. A storm promptly
 broke out. It was alleged that His
 Excellency, who had followed the
 royal instructions, had hastened the
 act to England with a view to secur-
 ing its disallowance, and thus shield-
 ing his Ministers. In due time Parlia-
 ment adjourned to meet again when
 the reply from England should have
 arrived. During the recess the act
 was disallowed. Then renewed as-
 saults accompanied by charges of
 partisanship were made upon the
 Governor. His Excellency, who was
 at Halifax at the time, met the at-
 tacks in a good humored speech. He
 said no person was authorized to at-
 tribute to him any opinions or senti-
 ments with respect to any political
 topic. As to the attacks upon him-
 self he declared that in spite of them
 he would be guided by Parliament,
 and that these castigations were
 as transitory and innocuous as the dis-
 cipline occasionally applied to their
 feet by the unsophisticated workmen
 of Monro Jumbo when their
 harvests are short or a murmur vi-
 sits their flocks. This was at once a
 polite response to the assaults, and
 an intimation that the Governor
 would be influenced by constitutional
 rules alone.

The disallowance of the Oaths Bill
 destroyed the usefulness of the Parlia-
 mentary Committee. To meet the
 situation Sir John Macdonald pro-
 posed that the committee should be
 invested with the powers of a com-
 mission. This proposition was reject-
 ed by the Opposition leaders. A com-
 mission of judges was therefore de-
 cided upon. Meanwhile Parliament re-
 assembled and Sir John advised a
 resolution. Lord Dufferin accepted
 the advice, with the condition that
 there should be an early session to
 consider the commission's report. At
 once the Opposition protested. It
 claimed that inquiry had been pur-
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 produced a new campaign against the
 Governor. His Excellency was de-
 nounced from end to end of the land
 as a traitor. King John, a James H.,
 and Charles I., called into one. But
 the principle of Parliamentary rule
 was steadily adhered to by the Gov-
 ernment. The storm of the session
 in the end the wind and waves abated.
 Sir John Macdonald resigned, and
 Mr. Mackenzie succeeded him.

MALE CANDY FIENDS

ONE MAN EATS 400 POUNDS OF CHO-
COLATES DURING THE SUMMER.

The Matinee Girl, Is Simply Not in It
 With Some of the Men—One Who Goes
 On Candy Spree—Was Craving for Fits
 and Starts—Kats It to Be Doing Some-
 thing.

Ever since far-seeing dealers began
 putting candy into artistic, paste-
 board boxes fringed with ingenious
 designs of paper lace and tied with
 gold or silver cord, the title of "can-
 dy fiend" has clung with inseparable
 tenacity to the matinee girl. But in
 Toronto, at least, says The Sunday
 World, the matinee girl is not the
 only one who has a pronounced and
 assertive sweet tooth. There are
 others who have the candy habit
 with all of its pernicious seductions,
 and strangely enough those others
 are men.

In point of numbers women who
 have the candy habit dominate men
 similarly afflicted, but in this re-
 spect only can they be said to oc-
 cupy a position to the fore. For when
 a man becomes a candy fiend he de-
 velops into the worst kind of a fiend,
 resorts to lavish expenditures and
 injects candy eating into his busi-
 ness, as well as his social diversions.
 An American city is said to have one
 man alone who during a single sum-
 mer ate 400 pounds of chocolate
 creams, a record sufficiently start-
 ling to cause even the most perfectly
 developed matinee girl to blush for
 shame. This man has made several
 attempts to "swear off," but as yet
 hasn't succeeded, and the enemy pur-
 sues him as relentlessly to-day as
 when he first became a "candy fiend."
 A citizen of Toronto suffers from
 what he calls candy sprees, and, ac-
 cording to his own admission, is as
 helpless when the desire for candy
 strikes him as the most helpless
 slave to liquor. His periodicals come
 on every three weeks with remarkable
 regularity. He may be sitting at his
 desk, walking along the streets or
 even lying in bed when the idea
 strikes him, but this matter is not
 for when his sweet tooth begins to
 assert itself there is but one thing
 for him to do—start out to find a
 candy store.

This man never buys in large quan-
 tities, for he never knows just how
 long the desire for something sweet
 will pursue him. Sometimes it lasts
 but a day or two, while again it will
 continue for a week. While on one of
 these "periodicals" the candy fiend
 is never without a little bag of
 sweets, except when asleep. Even
 then he is not free, for he sometimes
 wakes up in the night suffering from
 the same burning desire for more
 candy. After eating a little he goes
 back to sleep perfectly satisfied. A
 strange peculiarity of the habit as
 it has fastened itself upon this man
 is that after the "fever" has left him
 he couldn't be induced to taste candy
 for any consideration.

"The stuff is absolutely repulsive
 to me except when I am on one of
 my sprees," he says. "This candy
 eating is no joke with me. I some-
 times try to throw off the desire
 when it lays hold of me, but I find
 that I cannot work without candy,
 for my nerves become all any time,
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 rally, it seems foolish to most people,
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the principle of Parliamentary rule
was steadily adhered to by the Gov-
ernor in spite of the storm. Late in
the year the wind and waves abated.
Sir John Macdonald resigned, and
Mr. Mackenzie succeeded him.

The spirit in which Lord Dufferin
treated Sir John Macdonald and his
colleagues was observed in the treat-
ment accorded to Mr. Mackenzie. A
difficult situation arose during Mr.
Mackenzie's regime owing to the non-
fulfillment of the terms of union with
British Columbia. The Pacific Rail-
way was to have been built within
ten years, but it had not been com-
menced, and there were those on the
Pacific Coast who talked of secession.
Mr. Edgar was sent over to suggest
terms, and later Lord Carnarvon
reached terms with the province, a
condition of which was the building
in the meantime of a railway from
Esquimaux to Nanaimo. This bill pre-
paring for this railway was introduced
in the Commons. But it was
thrown out by the Senate. At once
all feeling in the West was strength-
ened. It was assumed that the Gov-
ernment had contributed to the de-
fect of its own measure, and to the
breach of the second agreement. Lord
Dufferin, in this emergency, spent to
the Pacific Coast and examined into
the question. On his arrival in Vic-
toria the usual triumphal arches were
there. But over one were inscribed
the words "Separation from the Domi-
nion." His Excellency called for
the persons responsible for the leg-
end, and told them that he would
pass under the arch on one condition,
and that a very small one, namely,
the amendment of the motto by us-
ing an "H" instead of an "S," as
the first letter in the first word. This
good natured suggestion was not ac-
cepted. So His Excellency passed
on instead of "under" the arch.
Before leaving the province Lord Du-
ffin delivered at Victoria a notable
speech, dealing with the cause of dis-
satisfaction. He admitted that the
province had been disappointed. He
declared that his Ministers had not
been the responsible parties. He pic-
tured the Columbia out of the
confederation with the Pacific Rail-
way uniting with southern lines and
leaving the province high and dry
without direct communication with
the East. Then he pointed to the
fact that the railway would yet
come, and urged his hearers to add
it to union rather than to resort to
secession, and to be without it. The
speech changed the current of thought
in the West, and if the union had
been in danger, it saved it.

A Perfect Fit
Dealer—Don't your shoes fit, mad-
am? Madam—Oh, yes, they fit me
perfectly, but they hurt awfully when
I try to walk—Sally Tawn and
Country Journal.

Only a fool goes on would tackle the
golden-egg business.

will pursue him. Sometimes it lasts
but a day or two, while again it will
continue for a week. While on one of
these "periodicals" the candy slave
is never without a little bag of
sweets, except when asleep. Even
then he is not free, for he sometimes
wakes up in the night suffering from
the same burning desire for more
candy. After eating a little he goes
back to sleep perfectly satisfied. A
strange peculiarity of the habit, as
it has fastened itself upon this "man
is that after the "fever" has left him
he couldn't be induced to taste candy
for any consideration.

"The stuff is absolutely repulsive
to me except when I am on one of
my sprees," he says. "This candy
eating is no joke with me. I some-
times try to throw off the desire
when it lays hold of me, but I find
that I cannot do so without candy,
for my nerves become all unstrung,
and nothing will satisfy me. Natu-
rally, it seems foolish to most people,
but with me it is a serious matter. I
usually buy chocolate creams, and
carry a small bag of them around
with me. I never eat more than 25
or 50 cents' worth a day. The minute
the "spree" works itself out, I
lose my desire for candy and the
sight of a chocolate cream will some-
times make me sick. I go along in
this way until the next periodical ar-
rives, and then it is the same story
over again. I have tried to quit it,
but have never been able to hold out
more than one day."

Candy dealers who, perhaps, are
better qualified to judge the consum-
ing properties of each individual
sweet tooth, assert that men buy
fully as much candy as women, and
not all of it is intended for their
delivery, either. There is, however, a
difference in the manner in which
men and women make purchases. A
man buy in five and ten cent lots, so they
can carry the sweet stuff in their
pockets and eat it while walking
along the street. Women usually lean
toward pretty pasteboard boxes and
most of their candy eating is done
either at home or in the theatre. But
as to persons who suffer from the
candy habit, well developed types
are to be found among both men and
women.

"Certainly there are candy fiends,"
said a Yonge street merchant, "and
it would be hard to say whether men
or women have the habit to a more
pronounced degree. The candy habit
is like every other habit that fastens
itself upon humanity. A good many
people eat sweet stuff because they
like it, while others devour it sim-
ply to do something. They are the
habitual candy eaters."

"I know several men who buy can-
dy three and four times every day
and I suppose they could be called
fiends. One man who comes in here
never thinks of going back to his
office after lunch or in the evening,
except to the candy counter. He comes
with him. Another buys peanut can-
dy every morning on his way down
to work. He is so regular with his
calls that our clerks have quit ask-
ing him what he wants. When he en-
ters the door they begin weighing out
the candy. Offentimes not a word is
spoken."

The man, given somewhat to pe-
culiar encounters with liquids, re-
gulate has found in chocolate re-
mains a helpful remedy after a night
with the boys. He keeps a box of creams
in his room at all times. When he
wakes up in the morning, suffering
the tortures of his inebrious past he
eats two or three of them.

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found to settle my stomach after it
has been unduly upset he says.
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Fort William	12:30	Wed. Sat. Sun.	
Rat Portage	12:30	Wed. Sat. Sun.	
Winnipeg	12:30	Wed. Sat. Sun.	

THE GLASGOW HOUSE

THE GREAT MID-SUMMER SALE.

On July 4th We will commence our Annual Mid-summer Clearing Sale. This sale as a rule should not come off until July 23, but owing to the backward weather in June our stock is much heavier than it ought to be at this season, we have determined that this month's selling will break all records in our business. You know it is the best stock of merchandise in this district you have to choose from. The quantities are abundant and the assortment is just at its best. **THIS CHANCE FOR ECONOMICAL BUYING IS TOO GREAT TO MISS. DON'T FAIL TO GET HERE. THE SAVING IS GREAT.**

DRESS GOODS SALE.

All our 50c and 60c Dress Goods go on sale at - - - - 35c.
All our 75c Dress Goods go on sale at - - - - 50c.
All our 1.00 Dress Goods go on sale at - - - - 70c.

Every yard of Dress Goods will be reduced during this sale.
WASH GOODS—300 pieces our best English Prints that are the very best value at 14c, on sale at 10c. 78 pieces best quality Blouse Prints 12c. for 8c. 300 yards Navy Blue Blouse materials, 15c. for 11c. All Muslin, Lawns, Gingham and Chambrays, at big reductions during this sale.

Some Astonishing Values in Staples.

Bleached Sheetings 30c. for 22c; Gingham 15c for 12c; Flannelette 10c. for 7c. During this sale we will give astonishing values in Sheetings, Towels, Towelling, and Table Damasks.

BLOUSES All our magnificent stock of Summer Blouses will be cleared out during this sale. Muslin, Lawn, Print and Percale Blouses, all this Season's Styles greatly reduced in price.

LADIES' WHITE SAILORS. Sun Shades and all Children's Trimmed Hats must be cleared out at this Midsummer Sale.

WHITEWEAR SALE.

Ladies White Skirts, Gowns, Corset Covers, Chemise and Drawers—Our stock at present is very complete, and all must be cleared this month. Our prices will do it.

There is no denying the fact that we have the best stock of **MEN'S HATS** in this town—the trouble is we have too many of them, especially in Light Greys. The weather is just here for these goods, but we wish to make a quick sale of them:

All our Best \$3.00 Fedoras for - - - \$2.00.

All our \$2.00 Fedoras for - - - \$1.25.

All our Summer Underwear, Neglige Shirts, Flannel Suits, etc. at Clearing Prices for July.

Special Dressmaking Prices for July.

During this sale we will make up the following Garments at greatly reduced prices. Strictly first-class workmanship in every Garment.

Skirts Made Up in First-Class Style - - - \$2.50.

Muslin Dresses - - - 3.50.

Tailor-Made Suits. " " - - - 6 00.

Cor. Fort & Main Sts.

WM. MACKENZIE & CO.

The Photo Display

of the Banks Studio is of the people of Rat Portage and vicinity.

Take a look at them. You don't have to wonder if Banks made them. You know he did. Watch for the remainder of the display.

Local Interest

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Don't forget the weekly excursion

Mr. E. B. Vankoughnet, the popular young banker of Winnipeg, is spending his vacation on these myriad isles that sit in summer days like emeralds rare, amid the water's ambustious smiles.

Mr. Hugh Armstrong, M.P.P., general manager of the Dominion Fish Company, arrived in town yesterday. Mr. Armstrong says the Lake of the Woods fish catch is larger than last year, by several carloads.

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For terms and conditions of sale apply to Philbert L. Heuray, Northern Post Office, or

Land Titles Act

MORTGAGE SALE.

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All and singular that certain tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the District of Rainy River, being composed of mining location 2114, lying north of Clearwater Bay, north of the Lake of the Woods, as shown by plan of survey made by E. Seager, O.L.S., of record in the department of Crown Lands, containing by admeasurement fifty acres more or less.

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There is said to be erected on the premises a two story live roomed frame dwelling 28x35 with addition 11x6x11.

Terms—Ten per cent of the purchase price to be paid to the purchaser on the day of sale.

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Don't forget the weekly excursion around Conroy island tonight on the steamer Argyle.

Mr. Geo. P. Galt, of Winnipeg, arrived last night to join his family at their summer residence on the lake.

Mr. A. McKenzie, passenger agent in the R.R. Co., is spending a few days in Winnipeg.

Mr. W. W. Allen, editor of the Port Arthur Chronicle, passed through Wednesday night on his way home after a visit to Winnipeg.

A big crowd of Rat Portagers took advantage of the civic holiday and cheap excursion rate to visit the Winnipeg fair yesterday.

Mr. Dargue, the new Methodist missionary and educationalist has come to the Sabaskasing Indian reserve to open a school.

Mr. C. Westerfield left yesterday morning for St. Paul. Mrs. and Miss Westerfield will be here shortly from Philadelphia to spend a holiday on Lake of the Woods.

Mr. L. L. Oakes, travelling representative of the Policy Holders' Protective Association, has returned from St. Paul. He was accompanied by his wife.

Mrs. J. H. Ross, of Montreal, president of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church, will speak at the Zion church on Sunday evening.

There were a number of people bought to the fair on the civic holiday. The hundred and fifty Keewatin guides boarded the train when it arrived there.

The 1000 passenger trains going west today are helped out by the station, every morning by the porter which pushes behind the train a car as the first bridge.

Seats are on sale for the big show at the Opera House next week at 10c. Messrs. H. B. Hook & Co's grocery store, corner of Second and Matheson streets.

Mr. and Mrs. McMurray have returned from their wedding trip east. They stopped on here on their way to Winnipeg to visit the bride's parents who are in camp.

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The caterers of Winnipeg have decided against coming to Rat Portage for their annual holiday on account of the towns refusing them a cash bonus. People who expect to get a cash bonus for spending a day in the finest summer resort in this area, are deserving of the same consideration as the small boy who won't eat strawberries and cream. He got spanked.

The garden party at Mrs. Cameron's last Tuesday was a big success in every way, and those composing the committee of management, of St. Alban's Ladies' Aid, are to be congratulated. The grounds illuminated by Chinese lanterns, looked like a scene from Alice in Wonderland.

Mrs. Gagne and Mrs. Ferguson, attributed local numbers at the evening.

Recently Explained.
S. B. Kingston, prominent member, recently published, tell the following.
"I recollect a discussion between a Scotch lord and Lady Clermont as to the merits of the other side of the border."
"How is it?" said she, "that the Scots who leave Scotland are usually men of more ability than those who remain at home?"
"Ah, madam," he responded, "with an effort at persiflage, the reason is obvious. At every outlet there are persons stationed to examine all who pass, that for the honor of the country, no one be permitted to leave it who is not a man of understanding."

Just before the war, the boarding guest house was a success.

The Difficulty With Chinese.
The difficulty of a foreigner learning the Chinese language is well known. The statement of an English traveler, he and his companion, supplied themselves with a Chinese grammar. In a day or two the difficulty was made that the single letter 'H' had 145 ways of being pronounced and that each pronunciation had an entirely different meaning. Then it dawned upon them that there was no point about the Chinese language, that it was not worth learning, and their grammar was hurriedly consigned to the river mud by being dropped overboard.

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The above property is being property upon which there are two shafts, one 30 feet in depth and the other 10 feet.

For terms and conditions of sale apply to Philbert J. Healey, Norman Post Office, or

BOYCE & DRAPER, Solicitors for Mortgage.

Dated this 15th day of July, A.D. 1902.

NORTHWEST FRUIT.

May Rivet Crop in Ontario—Interesting Paper by Dr. Saunders.

The Geological and Biological section met immediately on the adjournment of the main body of the Royal Society of Canada in Toronto recently, and during its session, Dr. Saunders read his paper describing experiments in plant breeding at the experimental farms. He described the work that was being done by the Ontario Experiment Station in connection with a native variety of fruit. They first introduced the Siberian apple, which bears a fruit little larger than an Ontario apple, and crossed it with the Ontario apple. The result was an apple about an inch in diameter. About four hundred of these had been crossed, and last year they had thirty trees bearing fruit. This year about seventy would be producing fruit. Seedlings were being raised from the crosses, and these were being again crossed with the Ontario fruit. They retained the hardness of the Siberian apple, but the more the cross was made the nearer they came to the Ontario fruit.

It had been found impossible to raise good apples of rust, but hardy ones were secured, and two apple trees were doing well. In the west, where the black rot was so common, the Siberian had also been crossed with the Ontario fruit, and the result was a fruit of the size of a large Ontario apple, but of the color of a Siberian.

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There is said to be erected on the premises a two story five roomed frame dwelling 28x25, with addition 11x6x11.

Terms—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the Vendor's solicitors at the time of sale and the balance in thirty days.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Macdonell & Boland, 2 Toronto Street, Toronto, Vendor's solicitors, or to Boyce & Draper, Barristers, etc., Rat Portage.

ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE

Judicial Sale of Property in the District of Rainy River.

Pursuant to a judgment of the High Court of Justice made in the action of Thomas W. Proudlock and Alexander Schrage against the Asht Rapids Gold Mining Company et al. there will be offered for sale with the approbation of Thomas W. Chapple, Esquire, Local Master of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Rat Portage, by R. J. Parrott, Auctioneer, in the Town Hall, in the Town of Rat Portage, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of August A.D. 1902.

All and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of Rainy River, and being composed of mining locations 281E (containing 312 acres) and 282E (containing 40 acres), situate east of Devil's Bay of Whitefish Bay as shown on plan of survey by O.L.S. Henry de Q. Sewell, dated May 14th, 1897, of record in the Department of Crown Lands, and being freehold parcel 2789. The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid.

The purchaser shall pay 20 per cent of the purchase money at the time of sale to the vendors or their solicitors, and the balance in thirty days thereafter into court to the credit of this action, without interest. The terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of this court.

Further particulars may be had from Messrs. Boyce & Draper, solicitors for the above named plaintiffs, A. McLennan, solicitor for defendants, and Messrs. Bird & Metcalley, and W. B. Towers, solicitors for lienholders, all of the town of Rat Portage, or from

T. W. CHAPPLE, ESQUIRE, Local Master, S.C.J. Dated at Rat Portage this 15th day of July, A.D. 1902.

The C.P.R. superintendent's observation car was attached to No. 1 this morning.

for Hot Weather . . .

While we have this warm spell with us take advantage of the following and make yourself comfortable:

BLOUSES

In a large variety of patterns and sizes, plain and fancy, regularly sold at 1.25 and 2.25 each, now for 1.00.

Boys' Blouses

There is nothing more comfortable for the boys than Print or Linen Blouses. All our 1.25 and 1.00 lines now 60 cts.

Prints and Gingham

All this line selling at 12½c. and 15c. reduced to 10 and 12½c.

Sunshades

We have a very nice assortment in fancy Parasols, ranging from 1.25 to 3.00 each. A few specials in black for 75c., reduced from \$1 and \$1.25.

HATS and CAPS

In straw, linen and tweed, ranging from 40c. to \$1. Your choice for 25c.

CHILDREN'S SHOES

An exceedingly large range, product of the best children's shoe manufacturers in Canada, reduced 25 per ct.

Gardner, Rice, McLeod Co. Limited